AUGUST 24, 1981

THE DIRECTOR OF THE DIVISION OF STATE LANDS TOOK FORMAL ACTION ON AUGUST 24, 1981, AT 10:00 A.M. IN THE STATE LAND OFFICE, ROOM 411, EMPIRE BUILDING, 231 EAST 400 SOUTH, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH 84111, ON THE BELOW LISTED MINERAL AND SURFACE BUSINESS MATTERS AS INDICATED.

OIL, GAS & HYDROCARBON LEASE APPLICATIONS - APPROVED)

Upon recommendation of Mr. Blake, the Director approved the Oil, Gas and Hydrocarbon lease applications listed below at a rental of \$1.00 per acre per annum; royalty as provided in the lease form approved by the Poard of State Lands. The applications have been checked by the Mineral Division and found to be a supplication of the lease form approved to be a lease f to be in order. The land status has been examined and the lands found to be open and available.

Min. Lease Appl. No. 39301 Milan S. Papulak

T15S, R5W, SLM Section 11: ENE's Millard 80.00 acres

281 East 2050 South Bountiful, UT 84010

Min. Lease Appl. No. 39303 F.M. Tully

T1S, R23E, SLM Section 1: SW4SW4

Uintah 760.00 acres

500 Dahlia Street Denver, CO 80220

Section 11: ENE's Section 12: NWaNE4, NaNW4, SWANW4

Section 16: SIN, SI

Min. Lease Appl. No. 39309

F.M. Tully

T1S, R24E, SLM Section 6: Lo Section 7: NI

Tots 3,4, SW4SE4

Hintah 712.88 acres

500 Dahlia Street Denver, CO 80220

NWANEA, NEASEA

SINEIA. NWIA, NEIASWIA, NIASEIA Lot 3, NIANEIA Section 17: Section 18:

Section 28: SE1/SE1/2

OIL, GAS & HYDROCARBON LEASE APPLICATIONS - PARTIALLY APPROVED AND PARTIALLY REJECTED

Upon recommendation of Mr. Blake, the Director partially approved the Oil, Gas and Hydrocarbon lease applications listed below at a rental of \$1.00 per acre per annum; royalty as provided in the lease form approved by the Board of State Lands. The application has been checked by the Mineral Division and found to be in order. The land status has been examined and the lands found to be open and available have been approved. The Director rejected the lands as listed below and ordered the refund of the advance rental on the rejected portion.

Min. Lease Appl. No. 39308 F.M. Tully

T2S, R24E, SLM Section 2: All

Uintah 758.36 acres

500 Dahlia Street Denver, CO 80220

Section 17: NW4SW4, SW4NW4

REJECTED PORTION:

T2S, R24E, SLM Section 17: SEANWA, SEANEA, NEASEA

Section 28: SE4SW4, W2SE4

REJECTED:

Minerals were reserved to the United States

REFUND: \$240.00

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METALLIFEROUS MINERALS LEASE APPLICATIONS - APPROVED J. B.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Blake, the Director approved the Metalliferous Minerals lease applications listed below at a rental of \$1.00 per acre per annum; royalty as provided in the lease form approved by the Board of State Lands. The applications have been checked by the Mineral Division and found to be in order. The land status has been examined and the lands found to be open and available.

Min. Lease Appl. No. 39302

T24S, R23E, SLM Section 16: Lot 6, SW4SW4

Karl D. Blomquist

69.11 acres

1262 Iris Lane

Salt Lake City, UT 84107

Min. Lease Appl. No. 39304

Grand San Juan

Karl D. Blomquist

1262 Iris Lane

1142.11 acres

Salt Lake City, UT 84107

T26S, R20E, SLM Gran
Section 13: Lot 3 San
Section 24: Lots 1,2,3,4 1142
Section 25: Lots 1,2,3, Wanea, NWaSela

Section 36: Lots 1,2,3,4

T26S, R21E, SLM
Section 19: Lot 4
Section 30: Lots 1,2,3,4,5,6,7
Section 31: Lots 1,2,3,4,5,6,7

T27S, R21E, SLM Section 6: Lots 1,2,3,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13 Section 7: Lots 1,2,3,4

REFUND: \$33.00 (incorrect acreage)

Min. Lease Appl. No. 39306

T11S, R19W, SLM Section 36: A11

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640.00 acres

Golden Age Minerals, Inc. 39 Exchange Place #22 Salt Lake City, UT 84111

METALLIFEROUS MINERALS LEASE APPLICATIONS - PARTIALLY APPROVED J. D.

AND PARTIALLY REJECTED

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Min. Lease Appl. No. 39305

Grand 40.00 acres

Karl D. Blomquist 1262 Iris Lane

Salt Lake City, UT 84111

T24S, R23E, SLM Section 2: SW4NW4

REJECTED PORTION:

T24S, R23E, SLM Section 16: NE¹₄SW₂

REJECTED:

Conflict with ML 31284

REFUND: \$40.00

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COAL LEASE APPLICATIONS - APPROVED J. B. ..

Upon recommendation of Mr. Blake, the Director approved the Coal lease applications listed below at a rental of \$1.00 per acre per annum; royalty as provided in the lease form approved by the Board of State Lands. The applications have been checked by the Mineral Division and found to be in order. The land status has been examined and the lands found to be open and available.

Min. Lease Appl. No. 39312

T16S, R26E, SLM Section 16:

Grand

James R. Bradley 943 McClelland

Section 32: All

937.76 acres

Salt Lake City, UT 84105

Min. Lease Appl. No. 39313 James R. Bradley

T16S, R25E, SLM Section 36: All

Grand 640.00 acres

COAL LEASE APPLICATIONS - REJECTED 6.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Blake, the Director rejected the Coal lease applications listed below and ordered a refund of the advance rentals to the applicant. The filing fees are forfeited to the State of Utah.

Min. Lease Appl. No. 39310

T19S, R21E, SLM Section 2: N¹/₂

James R. Bradley 943 McClelland

Section 5: All

354.00 acres

Salt Lake City, UT 84105

REJECTED:

Conflict with ML 29637

REFUND: \$354.00

Min. Lease Appl. No. 39311 James R. Bradley

T18S, R23E, SLM Section 36: All

Grand

626.92 acres

943 McClelland

Salt Lake City, UT 84105

REJECTED:

Conflict with August Simultaneous

REFUND: \$627.00

Min. Lease Appl. No. 39314 James R. Bradley

T16S, R24E, SLM Section 36: All

Grand

640.00 acres

943 McClelland Salt Lake City, UT 84105

REJECTED:

Conflict with August Simultaneous

REFUND: \$640.00

GYPSUM LEASE APPLICATIONS - APPROVED

Upon recommendation of Mr. Blake, the Director approved the Gypsum lease application listed below at a rental of \$1.00 per acre per annum; royalty as provided in the lease form approved by the Board of State Lands. The application has been checked by the Mineral Division and found to be in order. The land status has been examined and the lands found to be open and available.

Min. Lease Appl. No. 39307 WXW Partners

T22S, R8E, SLM Section 36: All

Emery 1354.75 acres

4780 Bonair Street

Salt Lake City, UT 84117

T23S, R8E, SLM Section 2: Lots 1,2,7,8,9,10,11 Sig, SigNig

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SPECIAL USE LEASE APPLICATION GRANTED BY DOT - SLA 541

Application has been received for Utah Department of Transportation land in Uintah County as described below. DOT has been consulted and has given their written consent for issuance of this lease with the following stipulation:

Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, this lease is issued as a blocking type, non-surface occupancy lease. Lessee may not occupy the surface for any reason without first obtaining the expressed written consent of the Utah Department of Transportation.

Spec. Lease Appl. No. 541 Kenai Oil & Gas, Inc. 2000 Energy Center One 717 - 17th Street Denver, CO 80202 T2S, R1E, USM Uintah Section 19: W_2E_2 279.00 acres with 0.89375% interest

Tract C: Beg at the NE cor, th S on the E section line 43 rods, th W 30 rods, th N 43 rods to N section line, th E along said section line 30 rods to pob, with 15.5555% interest.

 $\frac{\text{Tract D:}}{\text{rods, th E 30 rods, th S 197 rods, th W 80 rods}}$ th N 240 rods, th E 50 rods to pob, with 1.49684% interest.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Blake, the Director approved the above Special Lease Application.

WITHDRAWAL OF MLA's 39206. 39217, 39218, and CONSIDERATION OF MLA's 39310, 39311, 39312. 39313, 39314 - COAL

MLA's 39206, 39217, 39218 were approved on July 13, 1981. James R. Bradley now claims that these applications were submitted in error and has entered a written request for withdrawal so that he may make application on other lands (MLA's 39310 - 39314). I recommend that this request be granted and that the applicants money, \$3,240.00, submitted as advance rental on the withdrawn applications, (MLA's 39206, 39217, 39218) be credited towards MLA's 39310 - 39314 as follows:

| MLA | FILING FEE | RENTAL |
|---|---|---|
| MLA 39310 MLA 39311 MLA 39312 MLA 39313 MLA 39314 | \$10.00 \$10.00 \$10.00 \$10.00 \$10.00 | \$ 345.00 \$ 627.00 \$ 938.00 \$ 640.00 \$ 640.00 |
| | \$50.00 | \$3,190.00 |

TOTAL \$3,240.00

Filing fees on the withdrawn applications are forfeited. MLA's 39310-39314 have been checked and, unless otherwise noted, the lands applied for are open for lease.

Upon reommendation of Mr. Blake, the Director approved the above withdrawal and credit towards MLA's 39310-39314 as listed above.

RELINQUISHMENT OF METALLIFEROUS MINERALS LEASES

The lessees under the metalliferous minerals leases listed below have filed relinquishments of these leases. These leases should be terminated and the lands should be offered for lease by simultaneous filing.

| Lease No. | Lessee | Description | |
|-----------|--------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| ML 37251 | Exxon Corporation | T35S, R2E, SLM. Sec. 10: NE4SE4 Sec. 11: NW4SW4 Sec. 16: NW4NE4, SE4. NSec. 32: All Sec. 36: All | Garfield County 1874.35 acres |
| ML 37252 | Exxon Corporation | T34S, R2E, SLM. Sec. 32: All | Garfield County 640.00 acres |
| ML 32024 | Phelps Dodge Corp. | T27S, R4W, SLM. Sec. 36: All | Piute County 640.00 acres |
| ML 34650 | Raymond Chorney | T29S, R15E, SLM. Sec. 32: All | Wayne County 640.00 acres |
| ML 34651 | Raymond Chorney | T30S, R15E, SLM. Sec. 16: All | Wayne County 640.00 acres |
| ML 34652 | Raymond Chorney | T30S, R15E, SLM. Sec. 2: All | Wayne County 639.72 acres |
| ML 34871 | Shell Oil Company | T24S, R3W, SLM. Sec. 16: N ¹ ₂ NW ¹ ₁ .SW ² ₄ NW ¹ ₄ , SW ² ₄ | Sevier County 280.00 acres |

Upon recommendation of Mr. Prince, the Director approved the above relinquishments of Metalliferous Minerals Leases.

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF THE WHITMORE UNIT

Mountain Fuel Supply Company has submitted the Whitmore Unit in Carbon County, Utah, to this office for approval. The Whitmore Unit is located in Carbon County approximately 10 miles northeast of the town of Price. The Unit contains 13,847.74 acres of which 9,927.74 acres or 71.69213% are Federal lands and 40.00 acres or .2885% are State lands, and 3,880 acres or 28.01902% are private lands. This agreement provides that the operator will, within six months after the effective date of the unit, commence drilling a well of a depth sufficient to test the Blackhawk formation, but not to exceed 3,500 feet. The only State lease included in this unit has been committed to the unit. The unit agreement and the Approval-Certification-Determination contain the necessary State Land provisions and the Staff recommends that this unit be approved.

ML 27808 Union Oil Company of California

Upon recommendation of Mr. Prince, the Director approved the above unit.

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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF THE BURR DESERT II UNIT

Southland Royalty Company, operator of the Burr Desert II Unit, has submitted this unit for approval by the State of Utah. The Burr Desert II Unit is located 16 miles southeast of Hanksville in Wayne County, Utah. This unit contains 22,190.65 acres of which 19,768.37 acres or 89.08 percent are Federal lands and 2,422.28 acres or 10.92 percent are State lands. The unit agreement provides that the operator will, within six months after the effective date of the unit, commence the drilling of a well of a depth sufficient to test the upper 10 feet of the Molas Formation, but not to exceed 5,710 feet. This unit is on the standard unit agreement form and contains all of the necessary State Land provisions.

The following are the State of Utah leases in this unit.

| ML | 27264 | Sohio Petroleum Company | |
|----|-------|--------------------------------|---|
| ML | 27272 | Southland Royalty Company et a | 1 |
| ML | 27774 | Southland Royalty Company et a | 1 |
| ML | 27775 | Southland Royalty Company et a | 1 |

These leases have been committed to the unit.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Bonner, the Director approved the above Unit.

TERMINATION OF THE OIL CANYON UNITED B

Del-Rio Drilling Programs, Inc., operator of the Oil Canyon Unit, has furnished this office with evidence that this unit was terminated by the United States Geological Survey effective June 4, 1981.

The records of the following oil, gas, and hydrocarbon leases should be noted to show this termination.

| ML 21718 | Exxon Corporation - 62.5% |
|----------|---|
| | Natural Gas Corporation of California - 37.5% |
| ML 21719 | Natural Gas Corporation of California - 37.5% |
| | Mono Power Company - 37.5% |
| | Chorney Oil Company - 25% |
| ML 21720 | Natural Gas Corporation of California - 37.5% |
| | Mono Power Company - 37.5% |
| | Chorney Oil Company - 25% |
| ML 21721 | Exxon Corporation - 62.5% |
| | Natural Gas Corporation of California - 37.5% |
| ML 22324 | Exxon Corporation - 62.5% |
| | Natural Gas Corporation of California - 37.5% |

The terms of these leases are not effected by the termination of this unit.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Bonner, the Director approved the above termination.

RIGHTS OF WAY

RIGHT OF WAY No. 2192

Texas Oil and Gas Corporation. 1800 Lincoln Center Building, Denver, CO 80264 requests an easement for a 20 foot wide access road to an exploration well site, total length 4900 feet or 297 rods across the following State lands:

Township 17 South, Range 24 East, SLB&M Section 2: E½NE¼ Grand County Township 16 South, Range 24 East, SLB&M Section 36: E½ Grand County

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RIGHTS OF WAY

RIGHT OF WAY No. 2192 - (CONTINUED)

The initial payment is \$4.00 per rod totaling \$1,188.00, plus a \$20.00 application fee, totaling \$1,208.00; school fund and a \$10.00 fee every third year beginning January 1, 1984.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Pratt, the Director approved the above right of entry.

RIGHT OF ENTRY No. 2194

Digiseis Exploration Inc., Party 200. 170 - 7108 Alton Way, Englewood, CO 80112 requests permission to conduct seismic survey - shothole across the following State lands:

Township 25 South, Range 18 East, SLB&M Section 32 Grand County Township 24 South, Range 18 East, SLB&M Grand County Section 36 Township 24 South, Range 19 East, SLB&M Section 2, 16 Grand County
Township 23 South, Range 19 East, SLB&M Section 36 Grand County Township 23 South, Range 20 East, SLB&M Section ? Grand County Township 24 South, Range 19 East, SL3&M Section 2, 16 Granu County
Township 23 South, Range 19 East, SLB&M
Grand County Township 22 South, Range 20 East, SLB&M Section 36 Grand County Township 21 South, Range 21 East, SLB&M Section 2, 16, 32 Grand County
Township 20 South, Range 21 East, SLB&M
Section 2, 36 Grand County
Township 23-South, Range 22 East, SLB&M Section 2, 16 Grand County Township 22 South, Range 22 East, SLB&M Section 36 **Grand County** Township 22 South, Range 23 East, SLB&M Section 2, 16 Grand County Township 21 South, Range 23 East, SLB&M Section 34,35,36 Grand County

The fee for a seismic survey - shothole method is \$20.00/hole @ 32 holes totaling \$640.00, plus a \$20.00 application fee totaling \$660.00; school fund. Upon recommendation of Mr. Pratt, the Director approved the above right of entry with a December 1, 1981 expiration date.

RIGHT OF ENTRY No. 2202

Sefel Geophysical, 2015 Cherokee St., Denver, CO 80223 requests permission to conduct a seismic survey -- vibroseis method across the following State lands:

Township 38 South, Range 23 East, SLB&M
Section 2

San Juan County
Township 37 South, Range 23 East, SLB&M
Section 36

San Juan County
Township 29 South, Range 21 East, SLB&M
Section 32: N½, N½SW¼, SW¾SW¼, NE¼NE San Juan County
Township 38 South, Range 21 East, SLB&M
Section 32

San Juan County
Township 35 South, Range 18 East, SLB&M
Section 32

San Juan County
Township 35 South, Range 18 East, SLB&M
Section 32

San Juan County

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RIGHT OF ENTRY No. 2202 - (CONTINUED)

The fee for a seismic survey - vibroseis method is \$50.00 per mile @ 5 miles totaling \$250.00, plus a \$20.00 application fee totaling \$270.00; school fund.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Pratt, the Director approved the above right of entry with an October 1, 1981 expiration date.

RIGHT OF ENTRY NO. 2204

Grant Geophysical, 7535 Flint Road, S.E., Calgary, Alberta T2H 163 requests permission to conduct a seismic survey - vibroseis method across the following State lands:

Township 36 South, Range 23 East, SLB&M
Section 16: SE% San Juan County
Township 37 South, Range 22 East, SLB&M
Section 32: San Juan County
Township 37 South, Range 22 East, SLB&M
Section 36: San Juan County
Township 36 South, Range 22 East, SLB&M
Section 32: San Juan County
Township 39 South, Range 26 East, SLB&M
Section 32: San Juan County
Township 38 South, Range 25 East, SLB&M
Section 32: San Juan County
Township 38 South, Range 25 East, SLB&M
Section 32: San Juan County

The fee for a seismic survey - vibroseis method if \$50/mile @ 2 miles totaling \$100.00, plus a \$20.00 application fee totaling \$120.00; school fund.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Pratt, the Director approved the above right of entry with an October 1, 1981 expiration date.

RIGHT OF ENTRY No. 2207

Micro Geophysics Corp., 10900 West 44th Ave., Wheat Ridge, CO 80033 requests permission to conduct an induced and self potential mineral survey across the following State lands:

Township 40 South, Range 18 East, SLB&M
Section 2: W½ San Juan County
Township 40 South, Range 18 East, SLB&M
Section 16: SE½SW¼, SE¼, SE¾NE¼ San Juan County
Township 36 South, Range 21 East, SLB&M
Section 16: W½, NE¼ San Juan County

The fee for a mineral survey is \$50.00/mile @ 4.2 miles totaling \$210.00, plus a \$20.00 application fee totaling \$230.00; school fund.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Pratt, the Director approved the above right of entry with an October 1, 1981 expiration date.

AMENDMENT OF RIGHT OF WAY No. 651 and 810

Northwest Pipeline Corporation, 315 East 200 South, P. O. Box 1526, Salt Lake City, UT 84110, has requsted to modify the proposed replacment project of PEP, Trunk A, Grand Valley Gathering System as follows:

- 1. Replacement pipe to e the same diameter $3\frac{1}{2}$ " as the existing pipe.
- 2. Pipeline to be placed on surface.

This request is modifying the original amendment of March 23, 1981.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Pratt, the Director approved the above amendment.

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GRAZING PERMITS

GRAZING PERMIT CANCELLATION AND REFUND

GP 21249

Mr. Thomas M. Brotherson, Box 101, Mt. Pleasant, UT 84647 has requested cancellation of Grazing Permit No. 21249 and a refund for the 1981 grazing fees (\$235.53) and the reinstatement fee (\$15.00). A new Grazing Permit No. 21758 for the same State land was issued to the c/o Owen Peel, Box 305, Mt. Pleasant, UT 84647 in 1981 and a double payment occurred for the same property. Total refund due is \$250.53. Payment should be mailed to Mr. Brotherson, payable to Thomas M. Brotherson, Wayne Poulsen, Charles McKay, Bert Sorensen.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Pratt, the Director approved the above.

RANGE IMPROVEMENT AND AMORTIZATION & HByi

GP # 20420

Parker Mountain Grazers Association has applied to the Division for some assistance in putting up a quarter mile of fence where the existing fence has been destroyed. The Division will supply the materials and the Association the labor. They also desire to pay their share of the cost of the materials 60% in one payment rather than amortized over a 10 year period. This amounts to \$228.60 to be applied to GP #20420 for range improvement.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Brown, the Director approved the above range improvement and amortization.

RIGHTS OF WAY APPLICATIONS & HEAVY

Right of Entry No. 2208

Geophysical Service Inc., c/o Jean Son, General Delivery, Delta, Utah 84624, requests permission to conduct a seismic survey (vibroseis) across the following state lands:

Township 17 South, Range 11 West Section 36 Millard

Township 18 South, Range 11 West Section 2 Millard

Township 18 South, Range 14 West Section 16 Millard

Township 18 South, Range 15 West Section 2 Millard

The fee for a seismic survey - vibroseis method is \$50.00/mile @ 4 miles totaling \$200.00. plus a \$20.00 application fee totaling \$220.00; school fund. Upon recommendation of Mr. Brown, the Director approved the above right of way with a December 1, 1981 expiration date.

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RIGHTS OF WAY

RIGHT OF WAY No. 2206 MMW

Texas Oil and Gas Corporation, Fidelity Union Tower, Dallas, TX 75201, requests an easement for a road right of way on an existing road 672 rods long across the following State lands:

Township 12 South, Range 24 East, SLB&M
Section 2
Uintah County
Township 11 South, Range 24 East, SLB&M
Section 36
Uintah County

The initial payment is \$4.00 per rod at 672 rods totaling \$2,688.00, plus a \$20.00 application fee, totaling \$2,708.00; school fund and a \$20.00 fee every third year beginning January 1, 1984.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Wall, the Director approved the above right of way.

RIGHT OF ENTRY No. 2203 MMW

Engineering Specialities, Inc., Field Crew No. 1, P. O. Box 1523, Conroe, TX 77301 requests permission to conduct a seismic survey - primacord method across the following State lands:

Township 2 North, Range 24 East, SLB&M Section 16: E¹/₂ Daggett County

The fee for a seismic survey - primacord method is \$50.00 per mile @ one mile totaling \$50.00, plus a \$20.00 application fee totaling \$70.00; school fund.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Wall, the Director approved the above right of entry with an October 15, 1981 expiration date.

INTEREST RATES

Prime Rate Federal Funds Discount Rate 20-1/2 9-1/2

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WILLIAM K. DINEHART, DIRECTOR

DIVISION OF STATE LANDS AND FORESTRY

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